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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/719.055 Group: 1618 Filed: November 21, 2003 Examiner: Shirley V. Gembeh Confirmation No.: 9135 For INHIBITION OF CHRONIC TISSUE TRANSPLANT REJECTION PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: The undersigned attorney petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing an Appeal Brief pursuant to the Notice of Appeal received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 27, 2009 for four months, from April 27, 2009 to August 27, 2009 under 37 CFR § 1.136(a). In lieu of filing an Appeal Brief, Applicants' Attorney is filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrently herewith. Other than Small Entity Small Entity 1 month 65 130 2 months \$ 245 \$ 490 3 months \$ 555 \$1.110 4 months \$ 865 \$1,730 5 months \$2,350 A check is enclosed in the amount of the extension fee indicated above, or the extension fee has been included in the check with the accompanying Reply. Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 in the amount of \$1,730.00 to cover the cost of the extension fee Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. Respectfully submitted, HAMILTON, BROOK, SMITH & REYNOLDS, P.C. Michael Gottselig Registration No. 57.941 Telephone (978) 341-0036 Facsimile (978) 341-0136 Concord, Massachusetts 01742-9133